BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: 8/17/05 - KL Departme	ent: County Attorney's Office
Bulk Item: Yes No _X Staff Con	tact Person: Suzanne Hutton
** PUBI	IC HEARING 3:00 P.M. **
AGENDA ITEM WORDING: Public Hearing to consider adoption of a Resolution re and the public in and to a portion of Bonito Lane, "AM ADDITION" according to the Plat thereof, as recorder of Monroe County, Florida. (Key Largo).	IENDED PLAT OF SUNRISE POINT
ITEM BACKGROUND: Petition has been reviewed and approved by Planning,	Engineering and Fire Marshall.
PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOCC ACTION: 7/20/05 Resolution # 259-2005 approved by BOCC se Hearing for August 17, 2005 at 3:00 p.m. in Key Large	
CONTRACT/AGREEMENT CHANGES:	
STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Approval.	
TOTAL COST: Petitioner Pays B	UDGETED: Yes No
COST TO COUNTY: N/A S	OURCE OF FUNDS:
REVENUE PRODUCING: Yes No AMO	UNT PER MONTH Year
APPROVED BY: County Atty OMB/Purch	nasing Risk Management
	R. COLLINS, COUNTY ATTORNEY
DOCUMENTATION: Included	Not Required
DISPOSITION:	AGENDA ITEM #

Revised 2/05

RESOLUTION NO. - 2005

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MONROE COUNTY, RENOUNCING AND DISCLAIMING ANY RIGHT OF THE COUNTY AND THE PUBLIC IN AND TO A PORTION OF BONITO LANE, "AMENDED PLAT OF SUNRISE POINT ADDITION" ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 41 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA. (KEY LARGO)

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, desires to renounce and disclaim any right of the County and the public in and to the hereinafter described streets, alley-ways, roads or highways, and

WHEREAS, due notice has been published and a public hearing has been held in accordance with Chapter 336, Florida Statutes, and

WHEREAS, at said public hearing the Board considered the argument of all parties present wishing to speak on the matter, and all premises considered concerning the renouncing and disclaiming of any right of the County and the public in and to the hereinafter described streets, alley-ways, roads or highways as delineated on the hereinafter described map or plat, and

WHEREAS, the Board has determined that vacation of the said road is for the general public welfare, and conforms to the requirement of Fla. Stat. Secs. 336.09 and 336.10; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA, hereby renounces and disclaims any right of the County and the public in and to the following described streets, alley-ways, roads or highways as delineated on the hereinafter described map or plat, to-wit:

"Commencing at the Northwesterly corner of Lot 17, Block 7, "AMENDED PLAT OF SUNRISE PIONT ADDITION" according to the Plat thereof, as recorded in Plat Book 4, Page 41 of the Public Records of Monroe County, Florida; said corner also being on the Southwesterly 25 foot right-of-way of Bonito Lane; thence Southeasterly along said Southwesterly right-of-way line of said Bonito Lane a distance of 60.00 feet to the Northeasterly corner of said Lot 17, Block 7 said corner also being the intersection of the 25 foot right-of-way and 15 foot right-of-way of said Bonito Lane; thence Southwesterly at right angles of previous course along the common line of the Southeasterly line of said Lot 17, Block 7 and Northwesterly 15 foot right-of-way of said Bonito Lane a distance of 15.00 feet to a point said point being hereinafter being described as the Point of Beginning of road abandonment; thence Southeasterly at right angles to a previous course a distance of 15.00 feet to a point on the Southeasterly 15 foot right -of-way of said Bonito Lane thence Southwesterly at right angles to previous course along the Southeasterly right-of-way line of said Bonito Lane a distance of 36.50 feet to the point of intersection of said Bonito Lane; thence Northwesterly at right angles to previous course along the Southwesterly right-of-way line for a distance of 15.00 feet to the point of intersection of said Bonito Lane; thence Northeasterly at right angles to previous course a distance of 36.50 feet to the Point of Beginning. Containing an area of 547.5 square feet more or less."

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Co at a regular meeting of the Board on the 17th day	unty Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, y August, 2005.			
Mayor Spehar Mayor Pro Tem McCoy Commissioner Nelson Commissioner Neugent Commissioner Rice				
(SEAL) Attest: DANNY L.KOLHAGE, Clerk	BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA			
By Deputy Clerk	By			
(KMP:RAP:BONITO LANE 8.17.05)				

MONROE COUNTY ATTORNEY
APPROVED AS TO FORM

ASSISTANT COUNTY ATTORNEY

Date_

RESOLUTION NO. 259 - -2005

A RESOLUTION SETTING THE DATE, TIME AND PLACE FOR A PUBLIC HEARING CONCERNING THE PROPOSED ABANDONMENT OF A PORTION OF BONITO LANE, "AMENDED PLAT OF SUNRISE POINT ADDITON" ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, PAGE 41 OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA (KEY LARGO).

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, desires to renounce and disclaim any right of the County and the public in and to the hereinafter described streets, alley-ways, roads or highways, and

WHEREAS, under Chapter 336, Florida Statutes, it is necessary to hold a public hearing after publishing due notice of said hearing in accordance with said Chapter, now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA, that the Board will hold a public hearing on August 17, 2005 at 3:00 P.M. at the Key Largo Library, Key Largo, Florida, to determine whether or not the Board will renounce and disclaim any right of the County and the public in and to the following described streets, alley-ways, roads or highways as delineated on the hereinafter described map or plat, to-wit:

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PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of County Commissioners of Monroe County, Florida, at a regular meeting of the Board held on the 20th day of July, 2005.

Mayor Dixie M. Spehar Mayor Pro Tem Charles "Sonny" McCoy Commissioner Murray Nelson Commissioner George Neugent Commissioner David Rice

Yes Yes Yes Yes

ATTEST: DANNY L. KOLHAGE, CLERK

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA

(KMP: 7.20.05 RAP:Bonito Lane)

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STATE OF FLORIDA) COUNTY OF MONROE)

This Copy is a True Copy of the Original on File in this Office witner my hand and Official Seal

This 25th day of July

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: 7/20/05 - KW	Division: CountyAttorney's Office
Bulk Item: Yes X No	Department: County Attorney's Office
	Staff Contact Person: Suzanne Hutton
	ce for a public hearing concerning the proposed NDED PLAT OF SUNRISE POINT ADDITION" Book 4, Page 41 of the Public Records of Monroe
ITEM BACKGROUND: Petition has been reviewed and approved by Plant	ning, Engineering and Fire Marshall.
PREVIOUS RELEVANT BOCC ACTION:	
CONTRACT/AGREEMENT CHANGES:	
STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Adoption of Resolution setting one public hearing Florida.	g for 3:00 p.m. on AUGUST 17, 2005 in Key Largo,
TOTAL COST: Petitioner Pays	BUDGETED: Yes No
COST TO COUNTY: N/A	SOURCE OF FUNDS:
REVENUE PRODUCING: Yes No A	AMOUNT PER MONTH Year
APPROVED BY: County Atty OMB/	Purchasing Risk Management
DIVISION DIRECTOR APPROVAL:	PHN R. COLLINS, COUNTY ATTORNEY
DOCUMENTATION: Included	Not Required
DISPOSITION:	AGENDA ITEM #

MEMORANDUM

TO: Suzanne Hutton, Assistant County Attorney

Through: K. Marlene Conaway, Director of Planning & Env. Resources

FROM: David Dacquisto, Director of the Upper Keys Planning Team

DATE: June 14, 2005

Subject: Request from Mita Burke for a Road Abandonment for a portion of

Bonito Lane in Key Largo.

Ms. Mita Burke, owner of Lots 18 & 19, Block 7 has requested the abandonment of a portion of Bonito Lane in Key Largo. There are two other property owners that might be affected by this and they have provided us with letters of support for Ms. Burke's request. We have also received letters of "no objection" from Bellsouth, Comcast, FKAA and FKEC.

Roadway Description:

The road ends in a "T" that connects to both the Mita's property (802 Bonito Lane), the property owned by Marie Gordon (803 Bonito Lane) and the property owned by Jane Hagan (800 Bonito Lane).

Use of the Road:

The "T" portion of the road is the driveway entrance for all three properties and the road dead ends at the T. The "T" portion of the road is the only area that may be used for a vehicle to turn around to exit this dead end road.

Development Potential:

There is no development potential for the property.

Shoreline Access:

No portion of road being proposed for abandonment terminates on open water.

Staff Review:

A review of the records shows that Bonito Lane is a narrow street with a twenty-five foot right of way according to the survey provided. The southerly "T" extension of Bonito lane is fifteen feet wide according to the survey and is the subject of the road abandonment request.

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Conclusion:

Staff recommends it would be beneficial to retain fifteen feet of the right of way as requested by the County Engineer in order to maintain a turn around on public property at the end of the street.

Therefore the request for abandonment meets the requirements as outlined in the Monroe County Code Section 16-1.

- The road does not terminate on a body of water, and is consistent with goal 213 of the Monroe County Year 2010 Comprehensive Plan.
- Based on the application and supporting documentation, the abandonment will not impair the distribution of utilities in the neighboring area.





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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Marlene Conaway, Planning Director

Dave Koppel, County Engineer V

From-MONROE COUNTY ENGINERING

Clark Martin, Fire Chief

FROM:

Kathy Peters, Paralegal/Administrative Liaison

County Attorney's Office

RE:

Road Abandonment Petition Review - Tarpon Street, Tavernier

Receipt of revised survey/legal description

DATE:

June 3, 2005

Pursuant to the recommendation of County Engineer David S. Koppel in his memorandum of April 26, 2004. (a copy of which is attached hereto), enclosed please find a revised survey, which includes the revised legal description, received by this office from the Petitioner on May 31, 2005. Approval of the road abandonment as initially submitted was received by this office from the Fire Marshall on 12/23/03 and Planning on 12/16/03.

Please review the enclosed document and provide your written findings and recommendation in consideration of the revised survey/legal description indicating the smaller portion of road to be abandoned at your earliest convenience. Please maintain a record of all time spent by yourself and your staff on this matter. Thank you.

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OK to approve.



Peters-Katherine

From: Romero-Wally

Sent: Wednesday, June 29, 2005 4:52 PM

To: Peters-Katherine Cc: Hutton-Suzanne

Subject: RE: Bonito Lane, Amended Plat of Sunrise Point Addition

Suzanne,

I talked to the Burke's about their gate code and to use that part of their property for a turn-around. They were ok with that suggestion. This would give Fire Department more room for a turn around. I also concur with County Engineer, David Koppel, on his recommendation.

From: Hutton-Suzanne

Sent: Tuesday, June 28, 2005 2:10 PM

To: Romero-Wally Cc: Peters-Katherine

Subject: Bonito Lane, Amended Plat of Sunrise Point Addition

Wally, on December 23, 2004, you wrote that you had no objection to the above-referenced road abandonment. In the meantime, the County Engineer requested a change to the area to be abandoned. On June 16, 2005, Kathy Peters of our office requested you review the changed description. Since the area of abandonment appears to have been reduced, I assume it is OK with you. However, Kathy needs to actually get your approval. Please let her know ASAP if the change is alright.

Thanks.

Suzanne A. Hutton



FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE Marathon Gov't Annex Bldg. 490 - 63rd St., Ocean, Ste. 160 Marathon, FL 33050 (305) 289-6010 (305) 289-6013 FAX



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MONROE COUNTY ATTORNEY

DATE:

December 23, 2003

TO:

Suzanne A. Hutton, Assistant County Attorney

FROM:

Arthur "Wally" Romero, Assistant Fire Marshal, Monroe County Fire Rescue

SUBJECT:

ROAD ABANDONMENT INSPECTION:

(Bonita Lane, Key Largo)

The Monroe County Fire Marshal's Office has reviewed the above referenced proposed road abandonment. This office has no objection to the abandonment.

If the Fire Marshal's Office can be of any additional assistance in this matter, please contact our office.

Chief Clark Martian, Monroe County Fire Rescue

cc: William D. Surina, Assistant Fire Marshal, Monroe County Fire Rescue

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Nancy Yankow, J.D., LL.M., Attorney at Law 88101 Overseas Highway Islamorada, FL 33036 (Also admitted in NY, CO, and NM) Phone: 305) 852-3388 Fax: (305) 852-6957 nkramyankow@terranova.net

May 27, 2005

Kathy Peters, Administrative Liaison Office of the County Attorney PO Box 1026 Key West, Florida 33041-1026

RE: Road Abandonment Petition of Mita Burke, Bonito Lane, Key Largo

Dear Ms. Peters:

In accord with my letter to you of May 9, 2005, please find enclosed ten (10) copies of the revised legal description and accompanying sketch showing the new area of abandonment, as recommended by our County Engineer accepted by my client.

Thank you very much; please let me know when any required hearing(s) will be scheduled.

Sincerely,

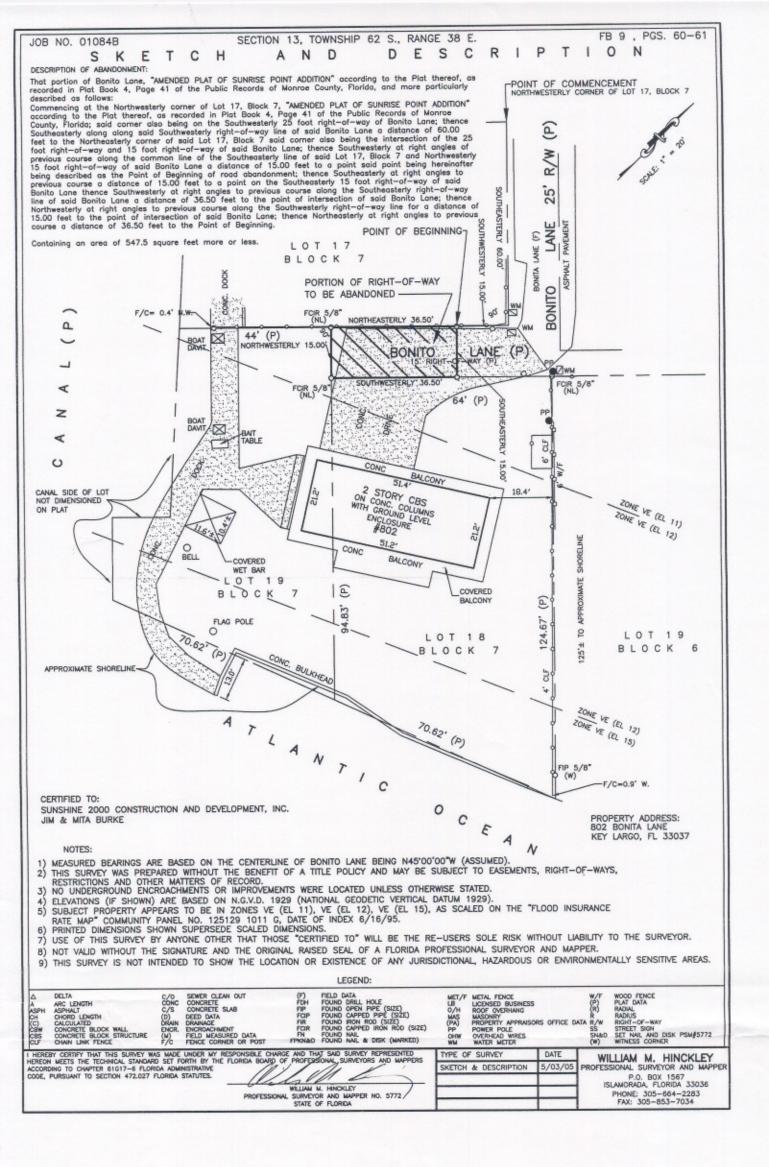
Nancy Yankow

cc: Mita Burke

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February 24, 2005

County Attorney's Office P.O. Box 1026 502 Whitehead Street, 3rd floor Key West, FL 33041-1026

Attn: Suzanne Hutton

Re: Burke Petition, Road Abandonment, Bonito Lane, Key Largo

Dear Suzanne:

Thank you for getting back to me so promptly, especially in light of Jan Hotalen's imminent departure!

As we discussed today, my client, Mita Burke, has authorized me to inform the County and your offices that she accepts the modification suggested in the April 26th Memo of David Koppel, shortening the proposed road abandonment to a distance of 36.5 feet. Further, and as outlined in that same Memo, if removal of the gate is necessary, Mrs. Burke will arrange for that removal as well.

Please let us know exactly how we should proceed at this point, and if you could please provide your new legal description of the abandonment, I would very much appreciate it. If there are any questions, please call me on my private office line (which rings directly to me or to a message machine) at: (305) 852.7890.

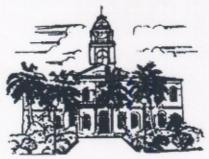
Thank you again.

Sincerely,

Nancy Yankow

cc: Mrs. Mita Burke (via fax transmission) 367 9969





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May 4, 2005

Ms. Nancy Yankow, Esq. 88101 Overseas Highway Islamorada, FL 33036

Re: Road Abandonment Petition - Bonito Lane

Dear Ms. Yankow:

Just a note to follow-up on our letter to you of March 30, 2005 advising that you/your client will need to submit a revised legal description and sketch showing the new area of abandonment as recommended by the County Engineer and agreed to by you/your client. We also enclosed a copy of the County Engineer's recommendation dated April 26, 2004. Your Petition cannot proceed until these documents are received by this office for review and forwarding to the County Engineer, Fire Marshall and Planning for their review and approval.

Please advise whether your client still intends to pursue this matter or if we should close our file at this time. Should you have questions or concerns regarding this matter, please feel free to contact either Ms. Hutton or myself by phoning (305) 292-3470.

Sincerely,

Kathy Feters

Paralegal/Administrative Liaison

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Commissioner George Neugent, District 2
Commissioner Charles McCoy, District 3
Commissioner Dixie Spehar, District 1



April 27, 2004

Ms. Mita Burke 802 Bonito Lane Key Largo, FL 33037

RE: Petition for road abandonment

Dear Ms. Burke:

Enclosed is a copy of a memorandum which I received from the County Engineer, recommending that a smaller area be abandoned. If you wish to continue with the abandonment of this smaller area, a revised survey and legal description will be needed.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

JAN HOTALEN

Paralegal

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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Suzanne Hutton

Assistant County Attorney

FROM:

David S. Koppel County Engineer

DATE:

April 26, 2004

RE: Petition for Road Abandonment

Bonito Lane, Sunrise Point Addition

Key Largo

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The area requested for abandonment has already been closed by a gate, making turning around very difficult. It would be better if the gate was removed so part of the area can be used to turn around. Therefore, I recommend we keep 15 feet and abandon 36.5 feet instead of the requested 51.5 feet. Please call me if you have any questions.

DSK/jl BonitaLnRdAbandSuzanneHutton.DOC

MEMORANDUM

To:

Jan Hotalan, County Attorney's Office

From:

K. Marlene Conaway, Director of Planning

Subject:

Bonita Lane Road Abandonment

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Date:

December 16, 2003

MONROE COUNTY ATTORNEY

Our office has received and reviewed the petition by Mita Burke for road abandonment for a portion of Bonita Lane in Key Largo.

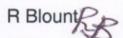
Staff visited the site to be abandoned and found that the right of way does not end at the shoreline and based on that site visit, our department has no objection to this request. December 12, 2003

Ms. Conaway:

Based on our past conversation concerning road abandonment field investigations, I hope this memo will suffice:

On 12/8/03, I visited the site and observed that the proposed area to be abandoned is already occupied and developed by the property owner. Based on this fact, I don't think the Planning Dept has any objections to the abandonment.

The right of way does not end at the shore line.



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MEMORANDUM

DATE:

November 20, 2003

TO:

Marlene Conaway, Planning Director

Dave Koppel, County Engineer

Clark Martin, Fire Chief

FROM:

Jan Hotalen

County Attorney's Office

RE:

Road Abandonment Petition - Bonita Lane, Key Largo

Please review the enclosed documents in connection with the above-described road abandonment and provide me with your comments at your earliest convenience.

As we discussed, please keep a record of all the time spent by you and your staff on this matter and, if you have no further use for this packet, please return it with your report.

Thank you.

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DATE:

November 20, 2003

TO:

Ginger Campbell

Finance Department

FROM:

Jan Hotalen

Paralegal

RE:

Road Abandonment Petition - Bonita Lane, Key Largo

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Enclosed please find check #9471 in the amount of \$500 from Sunshine 2000 Const. (Mita Burke) in the above-captioned petition.

Please deposit check in the appropriate account.

If you have any questions, please call.

SUNSHINE 2000 CONST. & DEV., INC. 31 Ocean Reef Dr. C-302 Key Largo, FL 33037		. 9471
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November 13, 2003

County Attorney's Office P.O. Box 1026 502 Whitehead Street, 3rd floor Key West, FL 33041-1026

Attn: Jan

Dear Jan:

As we discussed, under cover of this package please find (10) copies of Mita Burke's Road Abandonment Petition along with the following exhibits thereto:

"A" a survey of Roadway showing road and adjoining properties;

"B" two strip maps provided by the County (two, because the first strip map did not identify Overseas Highway, while the second, which did so, did not clearly identify the subject property);

"C" a copy of Mrs. Burke's deed;

"D" a correct legal description of the portion of roadway subject to the Petition, contained at page two of the Survey;

"E" Letters of No Objection from all Utility Companies; and

"F" Letters of No Objection from all adjacent and affected property owners.

In addition, I've enclosed Mrs. Burke's check for Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), payable to "Monroe County".

Thank you for taking the time to return my phone call. If there are any questions, or there is any other information needed from the applicant, please call me. We really appreciate your help.

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cc: Mrs. Mita Burke

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DATE:

November 20, 2003

TO:

Marlene Conaway, Planning Director

Dave Koppel, County Engineer Clark Martin, Fire Chief

FROM:

Jan Hotalen

County Attorney's Office

RE:

Road Abandonment Petition - Bonita Lane, Key Largo

Please review the enclosed documents in connection with the above-described road abandonment and provide me with your comments at your earliest convenience.

As we discussed, please keep a record of all the time spent by you and your staff on this matter and, if you have no further use for this packet, please return it with your report.

Thank you.

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ROAD ABANDONMENT PETITION

NAME	Mita Burke					_
				rgo, Florida, 33037 Point Addition, Ke	The Control of the Co	onroe County
STREE	T/EASEMENT	to be aba	andoned	Southeaster	y portion o	f Bonito Lane
KEY _	Ľargo		_	Mile Marker	95	
DATE	November	, 2003	_Phone	305) 852-3388	_ FAX _	305) 852-6057

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners:

We, Mita Burke, property owner, (joined for these purposes by her husband, James Burke), hereby respectfully petition the Honorable Board of County Commissioners to renounce and disclaim any right of way the County and public have in and to the above-referenced street, alleyway, road or right-of-way as further depicted and described in the following attachments:

Exhibit "A"

Exhibit "A" is a Survey, prepared by William M. Hinckely, containing a description of the portion of roadway to be abandoned and showing, by use of diagonal interlineations, the portion to be abandoned. The petitioner's property is clearly delineated thereon, as are all adjacent properties.

Exhibit "B"

Exhibit "B" is a Map of Key Largo on which the portion of road proposed to be abandoned is located, clearly showing US 1, Miler Marker #95, and the portion of road to be abandoned pursuant to this petition.

Exhibit "C"

Exhibit "C" sets out a copy of the deed covering the petitioner's title to the property located at 802 Bonito Lane, Key Largo, Florida. Petitioner certifies that she is the sole owner of Lots 17 and 18, that the abandonment of the southeasterly portion of Bonito Lane will not take away from other property holders' right of ingress and egress to their property, and that taxes for the year 2002 have been paid on her subject land.

Exhibit "D"

Exhibit "D" contains a legal description of that portion of road which petitioner seeks to have abandoned.

Exhibit "E"

Exhibit "E" contains letters of no objection from: Florida Keys Electric Cooperative (Exhibit "E-1"); Bellsouth Telecommunications (Exhibit "E-2"); Comcast (Exhibit "E-3"); and Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority (Exhibit "E-4").

Exhibit "F"

Exhibit "F" contains letters of no objection from the following adjacent property owners:

- Exhibit "F-1": Jane Hagan, 800 Bonito Lane, Key Largo, Florida 33037
- Exhibit "F-2": Marie A. and Gordon K. Johnson, 803 Bonito Lane, Key Largo, FL 33037.

Petitioners seek the abandonment for the following reasons:

The abandonment Petitioners seek is really in the nature of an after-the-fact abandonment of an existing condition of the right-of-way. When Petitioner purchased this property in 1999 the right-of-way had already been effectively abandoned by being enclosed by a previous owner. At the time of purchase and for the preceding ten (10) years the current concrete driveway was in existence, with a gate at its end, just as it is still currently located. Indeed, Petitioner did not learn her driveway and gate were located on a County right of way until the beginning of the year 2003, when she was so informed by a County utility employee. At that point, Petitioner started researching this matter. Petitioner was informed by a next door neighbor that the driveway was poured and the gate was installed at the time her home was built, over fourteen (14) years ago.

Therefore, the drive and gate have been in existence for fourteen (14) years. Petitioners did not pour the concrete driveway nor erect the gate. Indeed, Petitioner was completely unaware, when she paid good and valuable consideration for the home, that the drive and gate were not entirely and properly a part of the real estate we purchased. Petitioners had no reason to believe they were not a part and parcel of the real estate.

Once Petitioners became aware of this potential problem, they brought this petition to bring the property into compliance. In support of this petition, attached are letters from all adjacent property owners showing that none has any objection to this petition for abandonment, as well as letters from each public utility showing that none of them has any objection to our petition. Further is the reality that this shortened right-of-way has functioned well and safely for over fourteen (14) years as currently configured.

Petitioners understand that at some point in the future it may be necessary for a cul-de-sac or "T" type turnaround to be constructed at the resulting termination of this street, which was not shortened by the abandonment of this right-of-way. In this event, Petitioners agree to

construct whichever type is deemed necessary per County Standard Specifications and Details, as required when seeking road abandonment.

Petitioners agree to be responsible for and pay for all costs of advertising and recording fees incurred relative to this request for the vacation.

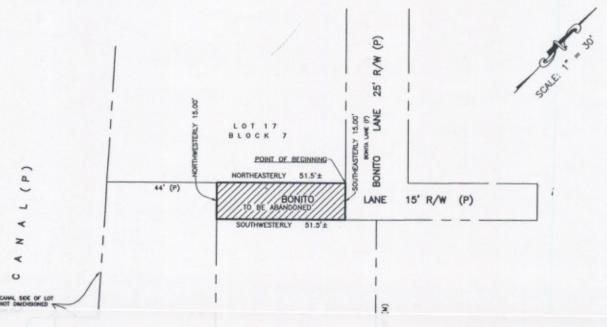
Petitioners further agree to grant any easement necessary for the furnishing of utilities, including without limitation, electric power, water, sewer, telephone, gas, cable and other electric communication services to the same extent as is common within this area as to height, width and degree, upon request for such service or by the BOCC through its authorized agents. If easements are so required, copies of the executed documents will be provided to the County before the petition is presented to the BOCC.

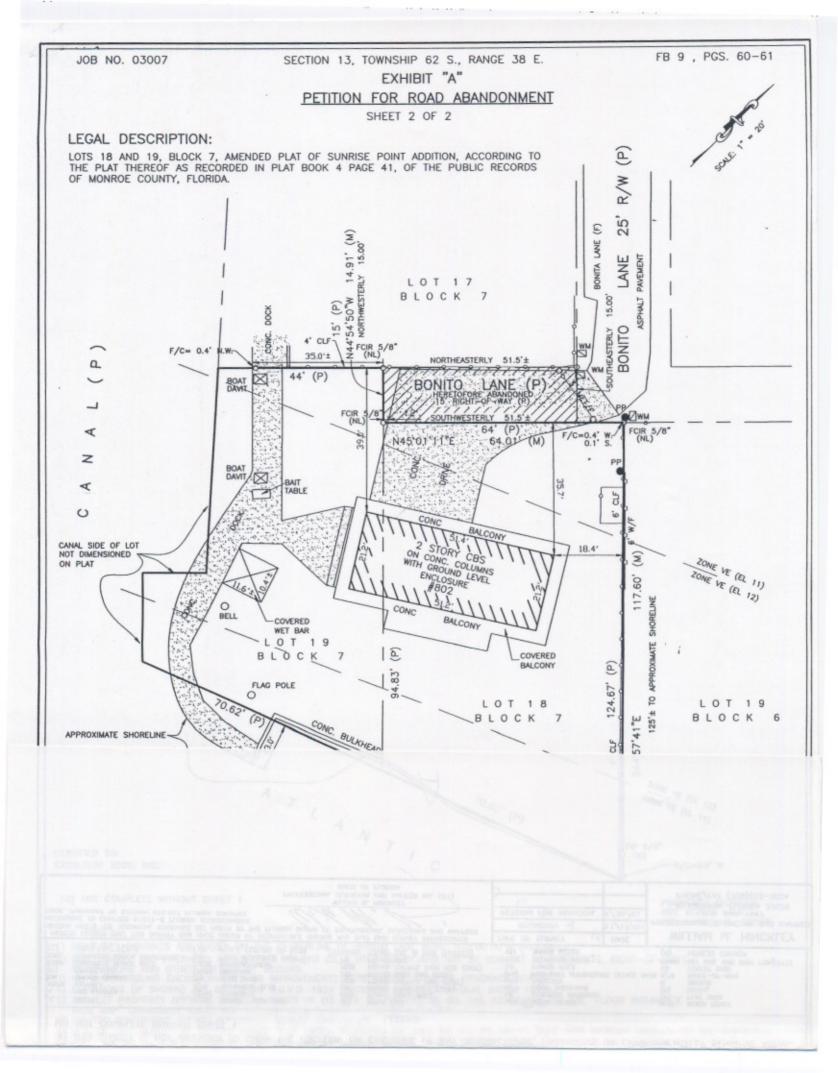
WHEREFORE, Petitioners formally request the Honorable Board of Counting Commissioners grant this petition.
MITA BURKE, PETITIONER
[/] is personally known to me. [] provided as identification
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15+ day of November, 2003.
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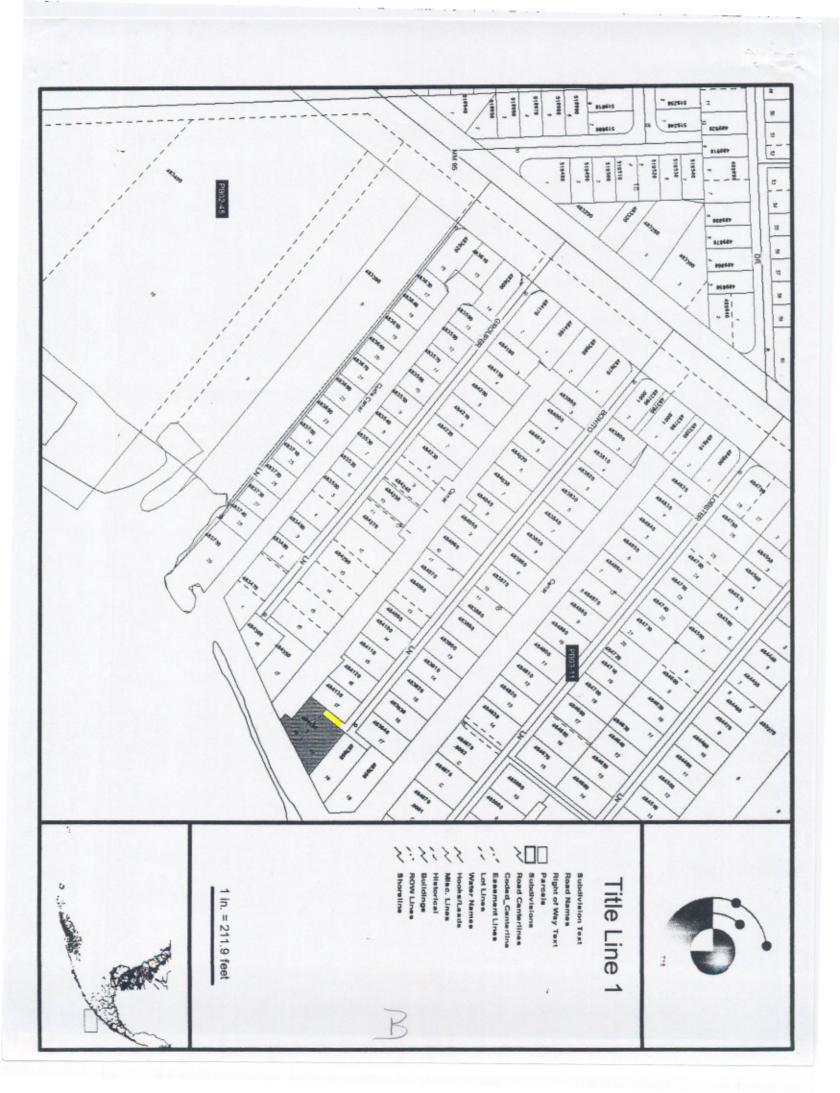
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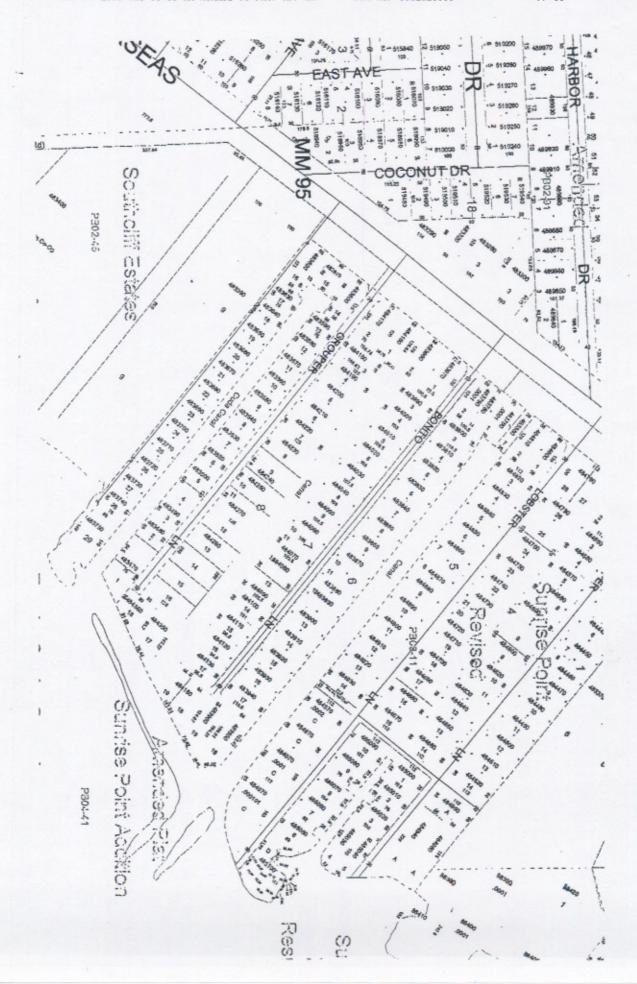
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C-1141 1 : 1-116. 1 Tax Collector HONROE COUNTY Prepared by and return to: MOFFICIAL RECORDS LAURIE S. WHITTAKER FILE #1147480 WHITTAKER & WHITTAKER, P.A. BK#1599 PG#2345 1065 NE 125TH STREET, SUITE 300 RCD Oct 12 1999 03:46PM NORTH MIAMI, FL 33161 DANNY L KOLHAGE, CLERK es tex identification semb DEED DOC STANPS, 4900.00 DEP CLK 10/12/1999 _ Warranty Deed This Indenture, Made this 30+ day of September, 199 between GERALD P. WIVINIS AND SHERYL WIVINIS, HIS WIFE, grantor, whose post office address is 802 BONITA LANE, KEY LARGO, FL 33037, and MITA BURKE, , grantee", whose post office address is 802 BONITA LANE, KEY LARGO, FL 33037. "grantor" and "grantee" are used for singular or plural, as context requires WITNESSETH: That said grantor, for and in consideration of the sum of TEN AND NO/100 DOLLARS (\$10.00) and other valuable considerations to said granter in hand paid by said grantee, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained and sold, to the said grantee, and grantee's heirs and assigns forever, the following described land, situate, lying and being in MONROE County, Florida, wit: LOTS 18 & 19, BLOCK 7, OF AMENDED PLAT OF SUNRISE POINT ADDITION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF, AS RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 4, AT PAGE 41, OF THE PUBLIC RECORDS OF MONROE COUNTY, FLORIDA. SUBJECT TO RESTRICTIONS, RESERVATIONS AND LIMITATION OF RECORD, IF ANY, AND TAXES FOR THE YEAR 1999 AND SUBSEQUENT YEARS. and said grantor does hereby fully warrant the title to said land, and will defend the same against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever. In Witness Whereof, grantor has hereunto set grantor's hand and seal-the day and year first above written. GERALD P. WIVINIS SHERYL WIVINIS, HIS WIFE STATE OF FLORIDA COUNTY OF MONROE The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 30th day of , 19 99 by GERALD P. WIVINIS and SHERYL WIVINIS, HIS WIFE, who is/are personally known to me or who has/have produced FL. Oelv. Lic. identification. Print Name: (Seal) My Commission Expires: // 4'2001

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Jim Yeager Facility Specialist BellSouth 70 Atlantic Dr. Key Largo, Florida 33037 phone: (305) 453-9864 facsimile:(305) 451-4232

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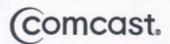
Re: Right of way abandonment of Bonito Lane adjacent to Lots 18 and 19 of Block 7 of Amended Plat of Sunrise Point Addition, Key Largo, Monroe County Florida.

Dear Ms. Yankow,

Bellsouth has no objection to the right of way abandonment as shown on exhibit "A" attached. In the future if the property adjacent to the above referenced right of way has a need for telephone service the property owner may need to provide Bellsouth with conduit or other acceptable structure in order to serve the property.

Sincerely,

Specialist



April 3, 2003

Nancy Yankow, Esq. Nancy Kram Yankow, PA 88101 Overseas Highway Islamorada, Florida 33036

RE: Request for Road Abandonment

Dear Ms. Yankow:

Comcast Cable Communications of South Florida. Inc. has reviewed the attached request for a road abandonment and has no objection.

If you have any further questions please feel free to contact me at 305-294-0992 x105.

Sincerely,

Comcast Cable Communications of South Florida, Inc.

Jerry Puto, Construction Supervisor



Florida Keys Aqueduct Authority

Post Office Box 1239 1100 Kennedy Drive Key West, Florida 33041-1239 Telephone (305) 296-2454

April 30, 2003

Nancy Yankow, Esq. 88101 Overseas Highway Islamorada, FL 33036

RE: Abandon the easterly 15' x 51.5 of Bonito Lane, Lots 17 and 18,

Block 7, Sunrise Point Subdivision, Key Largo

Dear Ms. Yankow:

The FKAA Board of Directors approved at the April 24, 2003 meeting, the above referenced project.

Pursuant to your request for the abandonment of the above-reference property, Staff has researched your request and have no objection to the abandonment. The FKAA has no facilities in this portion of Bonito Lane and has no present or future need for this portion of the roadway.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call this office.

Sincerely,

FLORIDA KEYS AQUEDUCT AUTHORITY

Edgar F. Nicolle, Jr.

Distribution Design Specialist

EFN/cma

cc: Bob Feldman, General Counsel

Arlyn Higley, Director of Maintenance Dept.

Monroe County Building Department

FLORIDA KEYS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION, INC. – FKEC

91605 OVERSEAS HIGHWAY P.O. BOX 377, TAVERNIER, FL 33070-0377 PHONE (305) 852-2431 FAX: (305) 852-4794

March 24, 2003

Nancy Yankow Esq. 88101 Overseas Highway Islamorada, FL 33036

Re: Road Abandonment of a portion of Bonito Lane in Key Largo

Dear Ms. Yankow:

This letter is in response to your Road Abandonment Request received in our office.

Please be advised that Florida Keys Electric Cooperative Association, Inc. (FKEC), has reviewed the subdivision plat you provided and has *no objection* to the abandonment of that portion of Bonito Lane heretofore abandoned and vacated of Amended Plat of Sunrise Point Addition, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Plat Book 4, page 41, of the Public Records of Monroe County, Florida, more particularly described as follows:

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Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (305) 852-2431.

Sincerely,

Tom Roebling Staking Technician

TR:pm

cc: Tim Planer

John M. Burch Carl Paul

Enclosure

GORDON E & MARIE A(Name)

803 BONITO LANE (Address)

Key Largo, Florida 33037

ANUS 4th, 2003

Office of the County / ttorney P.O. Box 1026 502 Whitehead Street, 3rd floor Key West, Florida 3::041-1026

Re: Proposed Abandonment of Public Right of Way of portions of Bonito Lane, Lots 17 and 18, Block 7, Sunrise Point Addition, Key Largo, Monroe County

To Whom It May Con: em:

As an adjacent property owner who lives next to the referenced property owned by Mita Burke at 802 Bonita Lane, Key Largo, and who would be affected by Ms. Burke's request for road abantlonment, the undersigned individual(s) have been fully informed on this subject and have no cojection to Mita Burke's request for abandonment of that portion of road as shown on the two-gage document attached to this letter as Exhibit "A".

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Print name: MAR I/E A JOHN

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Aug / , 2003

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Print name: TANE - S - HOAGAN

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